LUCILLE RIEKE

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Experience

Teaching Artist Oct 2022 - Present

The Keegan Theatre | Washington DC

- Lead after-school drama teacher at a DC public elementary school residency program
- Teaches rotating classes of fifteen 1st graders and ten 2nd graders, fostering creativity and confidence
- Design and implement engaging, age-appropriate curriculum that boosts student participation

Staff Writer Oct 2023 - Present

DC Theater Arts | Washington DC

- Published 9+ reviews of local theatre productions
- Conducting in-depth performance analyses to uncover actionable insights and critiques
- Partnering with editorial teams to produce high-impact, publication-ready content aligned with organizational standards and goals.

Assistant Site Director Jun 2016 - Aug 2023

Camp Funderblast | Mill Valley, CA

- Oversaw the safety, well-being, and daily enrichment of 70+ kids (ages 4-12)
- Supervised and mentored 11 peer counselors, ensuring camper well-being and parent satisfaction
- Promoted from CIT to Assistant Director within 3 years due to strong leadership and performance

Core Skills

Technical Skills - Google Workspace, Microsoft Suite, Canva, Qualtrics, Social Media Platforms **Soft Skills** - Spanish (Intermediate,) Collaboration, Adaptability, Work Ethic, Organization

Education

American University Aug 2022 - May 2026

Dual Degree Theatre Performance and Public Relations & Strategic Communications GPA: 3.98

Relevant Coursework: Event Management, PR Writing, Case Studies, Public Communication Research Actitives: Artistic Committee Member

• Collaborates with faculty to evaluate and select productions for the upcoming season, ensuring a diverse and engaging lineup aligned with student interests and institutional goals.

Awards

Outstanding Student (x2) Dec 2023, May 2025

American University School of Communications

Carl G. Anthon Scholar May 2024

American University Department of Performing Arts

Dean's Scholar April 2022

American University